

# The Rise of Disruptionware and High-Impact Ransomware Attacks

## *Insight*

The FBI's PSA serves as a warning to businesses that they should have a plan in place to respond efficiently and appropriately in the event of high impact ransomware and disruptionware attacks.

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# What If a Border Agent Seeks Your Smartphone That Includes Client Secrets?

## *News*

What is an attorney to do if a customs agent asks to peruse the attorney's smart phone?

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# Do Companies Need a Written Security Information Plan?

## *Insights*

A successful defense will depend on the ability of the breached business to establish that it implemented and

maintained reasonable security procedures and practices.

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## **Hunton Andrews Kurth Partner Speaks on Key Global Data Protection Issues in China**

### ***News***

Lisa J. Sotto of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP spoke to corporate counsel in China on key global and data protection issues.

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## **Do We Have A Contract? What Delta's Win Tells Us About Privacy Policies**

### ***Insight***

The case involved a breach of contract claim over the data breach suffered by the airline in 2017.

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# Preparing for the CCPA: Reviewing and Updating Privacy Policies and Agreements for Compliance

*Webinar, June 20, 2019*

The CCPA of 2018 is the strictest privacy law in the United States and has national impact for anyone doing business in California.

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## Security Incident Mitigation Strategy: Effective Negotiation of Technology Contract Limitations of Liability

*Insight*

Vendors have become increasingly reluctant to provide unlimited liability to protect customers against harms caused by security incidents, according to BakerHostetler.

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# How Small Law Firms Can Improve Cybersecurity to Prevent Data Disasters

## *Insight*

Breaches can inflict irreversible damage to a firm's reputation, finances and client relationships. So why aren't they taking cybersecurity seriously?

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## 2 U.S. Law Firms Lost Over \$117K to International Cybercrime Network, Indictment Alleges

## *News*

A Department of Justice press release announced the dismantling of the cybercrime network in an international law enforcement operation.

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## Understanding the New

# California Consumer Privacy Act

*Webinar, May 23, 2019*

Duane Morris will present “The California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 Webinar Series: Strategies for the New Era of Strict Consumer Privacy Protections.”

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## Hackers Shut Down Boston Legal System for Weeks, Seeking Payment in Bitcoin

*News*

A cyberattack on the agency overseeing Boston public defenders has caused a weekslong slowdown, disabling e-mail systems, delaying some hearings, and hanging up payments for the private attorneys who represent clients, reports *The Boston Globe*.

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## Facebook Fine Could Total Billions if FTC Talks Lead to

# a Deal

## News

Sources told *The New York Times* that the company and the FTC's consumer protection and enforcement staff have been in negotiations over a financial penalty for claims that Facebook violated a 2011 privacy consent decree with the agency.

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## Judge in Yahoo Data Breach Case Criticizes 'Unreasonably High' Attorney Fees

## News

Class counsel failed to explain why it took 32 law firms to do the work in the case, U.S. District Judge Lucy Koh said.

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## Lawyer Sues Apple, Says FaceTime Bug Allowed Secret Recording of Deposition, Caused Emotional Trauma

## News

The Houston lawyer, Larry D. Williams II, seeks punitive damages against Apple and unknown parties for claims of

product liability, negligence, warranty and fraudulent misrepresentation.

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## **Dentons Associate Duped into Transferring \$2.5 Million to Fraudster's Account**

### **News**

A decision in a Toronto court revealed that the associate sent the money from a property sale to a Hong Kong bank account after he received emails requesting the transfer in a business deal.

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## **'The Dark Overlord' Didn't Hack Systems, Husch Blackwell Says**

### **News**

The group says it has 18,000 documents that include emails and nondisclosure documents sent and received by two insurers and a Husch Blackwell predecessor firm.

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# Natalie Friend Wilson Promoted to Langley & Banack Shareholder

## **News**

Natalie Friend Wilson has been promoted to shareholder at Langley & Banack, Inc. and will lead the firm's cybersecurity practice.

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# Access to Law Firm Data 'Just Too Easy,' Worrying Clients

## **News**

General counsels' offices have been expressing renewed concern about whether even the biggest law firms are adequately protecting highly sensitive data.

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# Chinese Company Charged With Stealing Trade Secrets From U.S. Computer Firm

## **News**

Federal prosecutors said one of the defendants served as president of a company acquired by Micron five years ago.

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# Foley & Lardner Hit With Cybersecurity Incident

## *News*

Foley & Lardner LLP experienced a cybersecurity incident earlier this month, but said there was “no unauthorized access to client data.”